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SUBJECT: PRESS SUMMARY - OCTOBER 7

1. NYT (1) BERNIE GWERTZMAN REPORTS PRESIDENT IN DEBATE WITH CARTER SAID THERE WAS "NO SOVIET DOMINATION OF EASTERN EUROPE AND THERE NEVER WILL BE UNDER A FORD ADMINISTRATION." ALSO ALL OTHER PAPERS.

2. NYT (4) REPORTS LONDON TIMES DISPATCH OF SOVIET COMMUNIST, DISILLUSIONED AT 84, RESIGNS FROM PARTY.

3. NYT (6) JOHN FINNEY REPORTS PENTAGON INTELLIGENCE EXPERTS HAVE CONCLUDED THAT THE MIG-25 HAS A LIMITED MILITARY MISSION AND LAGS BEHIND AMERICAN AIRCRAFT IN ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY. ALSO STAR.

4. NYT (6) BRIEF REUTERS ITEM FROM GENEVA REPORTS SALT SESSION HELD.

5. NYT (17) AP FROM MOSCOW REPORTS SOVIET HARVEST EXPECTED TO BE ABUNDANT AND SHIRTTAIL SAYS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT SAID SOVIETS BOUGHT 700,000 TONS OF CORN AND 178,000 TONS OF WHEAT IN U.S. BRINGING TOTAL PURCHASE
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ALMOST UP TO THE MINIMUM REQUIRED BY AGREEMENT. ALSO SUN,
WSJ.

6. NYT (63) RICHARD EDER REPORTS RUSSIAN FILM "SOLARIS"
GETS GOOD MARKS.

7. WP (16) "AROUND WORLD" ITEM SAYS SOVIET REPUBLIC OF
KAZAKHSTAN DELIVERED A RECORD 18.4 MILLION TONS OF GRAIN
STRENGTHENINGS EXPECTATIONS OF A SUBSTANTIAL HARVEST.

8. STAR (6) AP REPORTS ALLIED DIPLOMATS WERE STUNNED BY
FORD'S REMARKS ON EAST EUROPE.

9. CSM (14-15) ELIZABETH POND REPORTS ON SOVIET
INTELLECTUALS, NOT IN THE DISSIDENT MOLD, WHO DELIBERA-
TELY CHOOSE CAREERS FAR REMOVED FROM POLITICS, BELIEVING
THE COST OF BECOMING A SOCIAL AND POLITICAL OUTCAST IS
TOO HIGH.

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CSM (14-15) ELIZABETH POND REPORTS FOR ALL ITS SPUTNIKS
AND JET FIGHTERS, THE SOVIET UNION'S MARCH INTO THE
FUTURE IS PROCEEDING AT A PLOD IN A CONSERVATIVE
SOCIETY WHICH HAS HAD THE SAME LEADERS IN POWER FOR 25
YEARS. ROBINSON

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